

## Worse Than Johnstown.

Winnipeg, June 24, '01.  
The entire section has just been visited by a flood which in all probability was the worst of Johnstown in '89, so the loss of property is concerned.  
Yesterday morning, shortly after midnight, a heavy down pour of rain began, and steadily increased until 10 o'clock a. m., then for several hours began again in renewed violence. This continued throughout the entire day and night, and at 10 o'clock this morning when it had abated the lowering clouds would indicate a down pour of rain.  
Many miles of the Northern Western railway tracks and bridges have been entirely destroyed and communication is entirely cut off west of Winnipeg, so that it is impossible to ascertain the extent of the loss of life and property. But officials of the road companies have sent out messengers to ascertain the terminus of both telegraph and railway communication, and have received a report that a considerable estimate as to the loss of life is about 200. Some of the drowned persons among the most prominent citizens of the coal fields.

## THE WAR.

THE BRITISH LOSS AT WATERLOO.  
In engagement at Waterloo British lost 14 killed and wounded.  
The Mounted rifles were captured.  
General Telegraphic News  
CANADA STANDS THIRD IN GOLD PRODUCTION.  
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Archdeacon Jones, Brockville, Ont., is dead.  
The Mad Mullah was routed by the British.  
A bye-election has been arranged in London, Ont.  
Mrs. Stanley Willett, was drowned at Chamblay, Que.  
Selkirk's chief of police captured two escaped jail birds.  
H. Perce's two-year old boy was drowned at Manitowish, Minn.  
Terrible floods visited the Macleod district in West Virginia.  
The Field strongly condemns the yacht race across the ocean.  
The Winnipeg defeated the Victorias 3 to 2 in the city lacrosse series.  
Ex-mounted police formed a veterans association branch in Winnipeg.  
Archibald Hay, former United States consul at Pretoria, accidentally killed himself.  
The seventh birthday of little Prince Edward is causing some stir in England.  
Edward Mahoney has been arrested in Quebec, charged with murdering his mother.  
Winnipeg, Man., June 24.—The strike situation here remains unchanged.  
St. Jean Baptiste societies in Winnipeg and St. Boniface held their annual anniversary services yesterday.  
Harvard graduates are objecting to the conferring of a degree on secretary of state.  
President Schurman, of Cornell, in his address referred to native literary barrenness in the United States.  
Seventeen lives were lost in the fire at a tenement house at Paterson, New Jersey, through an explosion of fire works.

## LOCAL.

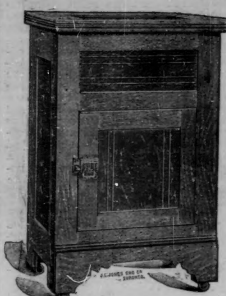
A ladies belt picked up on the street to-day may be reclaimed by the owner at this office.  
—Consts. Chesebrough and Mott, N. W. M. P. returned from Braman Friday, having taken Wm. Vanner, a lunatic, to the asylum there.  
—Mrs. Snyder leaves in the morning for Winnipeg, where she remains for some weeks, going thence to White Horse, Yukon, to rejoin her husband, Supt. Snyder.  
—The taxpayers have to-day been voting on the market site and woolen mill bonus by-laws. The poll does not close until 5 o'clock and the result is not yet known.  
—The Indian Advocate, of Whitefish lake, objects to the invitation extended to the Indians by the Edmonton sports committee to take part in the programme of the big fair.  
—The last Canada Gazette, contains notice of the establishment of a highway on the old trail across river lots 16 and 18, just east of the town of Edmonton, making an easterly extension of First Street.  
—Messrs. C. & W. MacDonald and W. A. Grosbach, lawyers, have entered into partnership under the firm name of MacDonald & Grosbach. The new firm occupy Mr. MacDonald's offices over the post office.  
—Town secretary-treasurer Kinnaird has hung in his office a mural of voters' list just prepared in accordance with the ordinance. Every resident entitled to a vote should see that his name is on the list.  
—The baseball match between the Professionals and Accountants did not take place as advertised on Friday evening, for some unknown reason. The band was present and at least four hundred people had gathered to witness the game.  
—Secretary Bryan, of the cricket club, is in receipt of a communication from the Calgary club accepting Edmonton's challenge and invitation for a trial. The Calgary team come up on Sunday, 30th instant, and expect to play on Monday, returning south the following morning.  
—Francis Glebe, the prisoner who escaped from the police at the Port was retaken last week. He was located and recaptured without resistance, at his father's place. When escaping he had thrown off his boots in order to accelerate his gait, and during his flight along the river, had run over several divers several inches into his feet which were only removed with considerable difficulty by the police doctor after 1 1/2 hours.  
—The funeral of Belle MacCallum, the nine-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. MacCallum, took place yesterday afternoon to the Edmonton cemetery, being largely attended by the sympathizing friends of the bereaved family. Prayers were conducted at the house by Rev. Mr. McQueen, who also conducted services at the grave. The pall bearers were six of the little companions of the deceased.  
—Trooper John Lindsay, of the Mounted Rifles, returned on Friday's mail, one of the last of the C. M. to return from South Africa. When the telegram was ordered home Trooper Lindsay remained behind and joined the Transvaal consular corps. This was really the Pretoria city police, and their principal duty was to patrol the streets and see that no one without a pass was out after seven o'clock. For a while Trooper Lindsay was on guard at the residence of Mrs. Kruger and had the distinguished honor, on numerous occasions, of consuming numerous cups of coffee, kindly sent out for the refreshment of the guard by the aged wife of the ex-president. Trooper Lindsay remained four days in the police, leaving South Africa about the middle of February for England, with 500 or 600 men, from different regiments. Five or six of them were Canadians. Trooper Lindsay says that many Canadians who remained in South Africa, got situations on the government stock farms, in charge of the big herds of stock contained from the time of Mr. McKinlay, one of the Edmonton men, is with Kitchener's fighting scouts. Those McKinlays, left the consular corps, and went to work to take a position as electrical engineer. He is doing well. F. A. Jackson is conductor of transients at Pretoria, and is making big wages, with a chance of doing well.

—C. W. Butler returned yesterday from Calgary.  
—Two hundred and thirty-six Gallians came in yesterday.  
—Mr. Justice Scott arrives to-night. Court opens to-morrow.  
—P. D. Campbell returned to the Landing on Friday last.  
—Malcolm McCrimmon, railway contractor, is on to-night's train.  
—Rev. Father Smet received news last week of the death of his brother in Ontario.  
—Roads are reported very bad between Edmonton and the Sturgeon bridge on the Landing trail.  
—A. Oman, who has been employed in last building at the Landing this season, came in on Saturday's stage.  
—The East Edmonton school picnic takes place on the afternoon of Friday, the 28th instant, at the school house.  
—Dr. Acres, V. S., has been appointed veterinarian to the Industrial Exhibition Association for the coming exhibition.  
—A telegraphic despatch to-day from Onion lake says that A. Bridge is greatly improved and intends continuing his journey Thursday.  
—Miss Young, daughter of the bishop of Athabasca, will arrive to-night from England and leave for the Landing by stage in the morning.  
—Owing to a wharf near Airdrie to-day's train northward returned to Calgary and has been cancelled. The southbound train is lying at Airdrie.  
—A meeting of the Public Hospital Woman's Aid Society will be held this evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. F. Ross. A full attendance is requested.  
—J. Robinson, who arrived on Saturday's train, goes to the Landing to-morrow to visit his father, who is in charge of Ross Bros. business there.  
—The hour of the series of services to be conducted by Rev. Father Smet here this week has been changed from 4 to 7:30 a. m.  
—Messrs. Simpson, McNulty, Drownlee and Taylor drove to Big Lake Saturday evening where Mr. McNulty is putting on a Naphtha launch for pleasure purposes.  
—Snow is reported to have fallen at Calgary this morning. The storm extended westward some distance and eastward as far as Gleichen. No signs of snow at Edmonton.  
—Mr. Barford's pupils will give their usual monthly recital on Thursday evening, at 8:15. This will be the last recital before the summer vacation. Miss Reid, of Strathcona, has kindly promised to assist.  
—The Sturgeon road is being graded a few miles north of town. The labor is being supplied by residents of the district and a government grader is in use. About a mile is under way at present and it is estimated that the road will be graded during the season.  
—The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph MacCallum will sympathize with them in the death of their little son, Belle, nine years of age, who died about 10:30 on Saturday morning of appendicitis. Up to Friday morning he was in no apparent danger and was to all appearance recovering when the disease suddenly assumed a malignant form from which time he rapidly sank.  
—Rev. J. R. Matheson leaves Fraser's landing to-day or to-morrow with a small loaded with lumber, shingles and other supplies principally for the English church mission at Onion lake. He has also purchased from Walter & McWhynston the ferry scow which plied at the upper ferry last year. The scow is also loaded with lumber and supplies. Part of the shipment includes 50,000 shingles.  
—Mr. Driscoll, government surveyor, commenced work Saturday at a ditch to drain Fraser's lake. He will be able shortly to allow of work commencing on the ditch. It is probable the ditch will go through James' lake. The only other possible plan will be to ditch down the road. This latter would require a very deep cutting. The government will give cash assistance to settlers in constructing a pie-nic in aid of the Presbyterian church on Friday, the 21st. About 250 people were present and games of all kinds were provided, including baseball, football and croquet. Boasting in the lake was one of the most enjoyable attractions of the outing. The lake is a beautiful body of water, of considerable extent, and perfectly clear, a perfect spot for a pie-nic. Rev. D. S. McQueen and A. McLeod were present from Edmonton.  
—An operation was performed to-day at the public hospital on the little fourteen-months-old daughter of Wm. H. Alderson, of Baker lake. The child was brought in to the hospital on the 18th suffering from an accidental gunshot wound in the leg. The charge was shot completely through the leg scattering the bone and tearing the flesh. All attempts to save the limb were unavailing and an operation was performed to-day, the leg being amputated. At last accounts the little sufferer was doing as well as possible.  
—Allan Omand arrived by the Athabasca stage from the Landing Saturday. The boats from Lesser Slave lake were expected down on Friday. The company's boats were due from down the river points on the 27th or 28th. D. T. Hanbury left the Landing for the north Saturday. Miss Smith, D. L., was waiting for three loads of freight to arrive, when he would pull out. Insp. West and A. Panton, D. L., accompanied by Dr. Baldwin and H. B. Remd, left for the river on Friday. Driving sails, canoes and life preservers are necessary for travelers on the trail between here and the Landing according to the stage driver's story.

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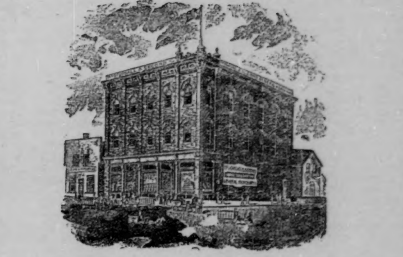
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# WEATHER AND CROPS

The warm showers and ensuing heat of the last few days have given a great impetus to the growth of grain and garden produce. The rain was not needed but the warmth was welcome. Growth, while very satisfactory, has been a trifle slow this spring, but the heat during the week has made amends for all. The rains have not been heavy but they have been frequent. A great deal of moisture is in and on the land, not too much, but sufficient for growth without any additional rainfall. Reports from the country as to the crop condition are very favorable. There is nothing wrong with the crop. The oats, which some Manitoba papers discovered would not germinate, are growing just the same. Garden produce has been a little late, but is now catching up. On the whole the weather, while showery, has been favorable to growth, and crops are looking excellent. Prospects are first class, and only the happening of the unexpected can prevent a yield unequalled in extent in all kinds of produce.

# NORTHWEST SCHOOL LAW

Assembly held in Free Press of June 11th. The bill, introduced by Mr. Macmillan, moved for its second reading of the bill respecting schools. He explained that the bill was a consolidation of the present law, and contained a large number of amendments. Hitherto there had been a council of public instruction. It was proposed to create a department of education to do practically the same work and to have the same scope. The council of public instruction was changed to a department of education. The former had four members, two of whom were Roman Catholics, and were chosen by the lieutenant-governor-in-council. The council of education was to have five members, two of them to be Roman Catholics, and it was proposed to make it more of a working body. The government of the day would make the regulations to be brought before the council of education to carry out, they believed the men who were responsible must be the same men who make the rules. At the same time the educational council was created to receive and make its own reports and throwing on the government the responsibility of accepting or rejecting it. The bill made it simpler and easier to administer and make it more workable and clear to trustees. The method of proceedings, committees, and taking votes were made more simple, clear and workable. There was a new feature. The establishment of school districts had hitherto been purely voluntary. But in many cases where there was a large number of children, enough children and a district created on the part of parents to have schools, these children were deprived of schools because a certain number of people who had no children or had a few, had a school, constituted a majority and voted against them. The voluntary system would remain where there is a limited number of children. A certain number of acres of land for a school, and the boundaries more than ordinary. But where there is a large number of children, a certain number of ratepayers and amount of property, it shall be in the discretion of the department to say whether a school shall be established or not. This was a power which must be exercised with discretion. Provision is made for an official audit. A financial audit should be made every year. It is a general re-arrangement of the provisions of the act, and the amendments are of considerable importance. The duties of trustees and other officers are more fully and clearly defined as also the duties and rights of teachers. A provision is made for proportionate payments of teachers according to the number of days which they teach and the number of teaching days in the year. There is an important provision for the issue of regulations and instructions to trustees and school officers. The bill is a new workable, comprehensive, and under-standable one. The school law does not include any assessment, clauses regarding taxation, courts of review, etc. There are three separate bills, dealing with the school law, assessment and grants.

The second reading of the bill was passed in committee of the whole on Monday.

# FOOTBALL MATCH

The Strathcona and Edmonton football teams met for the second time this season on the Strathcona ground on Friday evening and administered to each other a score of one, the game resulting in a draw. The teams played in the following positions:

Strathcona.	Edmonton.
McMillan, goal	Griesbach,
Dodds, backs	Hanna,
D. Blissett,	Stewart,
Pay, half backs	Jarvis,
R. Blain,	Rea,
C. Smith,	Kelly,
Reed,	Campbell,
Kilchen,	Jaffray,
J. Blain,	Bellamy,
J. Smith,	McAvoy,

A. C. Fraser umpired the game in a satisfactory manner.

The game was late in being called, the crowd small and the ground very spotty.

After the kick-off the ball was hammered all over the field, both goal keepers securing a kick and each team a throw in all Strathcona's left wing captured the sphere and centered it, J. Blain rolling it through after a complicated scrimmage.

The second set was distinguished by an unusually large number of throw-ins, goal kicks and corners, these being indeed prominent features of the game. Bellamy and McAvoy on Edmonton's right, got themselves together and kept the ball hovering about Strathcona's end of the field until Dodds, Blissett and McMillan saved the situation for Strathcona by persistent valor, until McAvoy centered and the Edmonton forwards rushed the goal. Jaffray scoring in about 20 minutes.

The remainder of the first half and the second half were played out without further scoring. There came by no means rarely on both goals and Griesbach and McMillan each deserve credit for some neat plays.

On the whole Strathcona played the best combination, though individually the Strathcona players did not probably average the play of the Edmonton boys. The ground, however, offered considerable advantage to the home team who were used to its yielding surface.

# CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Ne'son Miner: One of the half-day holiday enthusiasts, who had planned a holiday yesterday, was not disappointed on account of the rain, consoled himself by a poetical abuse of the weather in the following metre: While I pondered wet and weary, nursing up a wondrous theory as to whether there was sunshine, my sunshine was of yore, presently there came a tapping, tapping as if someone rapping, rapping at my chamber door. "What it is" I yelled, and jumping, while my heart went thumping, thumping, wide I pushed the chamber door. There I saw the raindrops slipping, slipping, rapping at the door. "Holy smoke!" was what I uttered. "Yes, 'Twas 'holy smoke' I muttered, 'it is only raining more'."

# STRATHCONA

The Strathcona Electric Light Co. have a supply of poles for the lighting service of the town now piled in the rear of Jackson Bros. foundry.

A dance was given last night in Ross Hall, in honor of the return of Mr. Wilkin from the war. Quite a number of ladies and gentlemen were over from Edmonton.

Teachers' examinations will be held this year at the following points on Tuesday, and July, namely—Moosemuk, Yorkton, Indian Head, Oxbow, Regina, Moose Jaw, Medicine Hat, Lethbridge, Calgary, Lacombe, Strathcona, Battleford, Prince Albert, and Saskatchewan.

J. G. Walker has been appointed C. P. R. employment agent at this point. He is only twelve and makes a dive of seventy-five feet.

The above artists are well known and the most in their respective classes. The Association will have in this combination an outdoor platform performance which will undoubtedly please the people.

Take the Richards family in their famous Flying Trapeze act. This act runs for twenty-five minutes, consisting of all the newest and up to date flying and catching trapeze work.

Prof. Richards in his thrilling light rope performance. He is either walking blindfold, standing on his head, walking on stilts, riding on a bicycle, walking in cheese boxes or doing some other sensational feat.

Prof. Nordquist in his sensational dive from a height of seventy-five feet.

Or Mathews and Newman in their marvelous performance with the rolling globe and outsize.

Or De Villars in their comic and most laughable trick Cottage act.

Or Prof. Bell on his slack wire, doing the most extraordinary juggling ever conceived.

In any one of them the patrons of the fair will receive the value of their money. Such a strong and up to date combination never has shown in the Northwest Territories before.

# THE BIG FAIR.

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2nd, 3rd and 4th.

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1. The Richards family, three in number, Artist Artists, comic in the act the Revolving Ladder and Japanese Perch Pole acts.

2. The De Villars, three in number, Trick Cottage act, a very comic act, introducing the Horizontal Bar act.

3. Prof. G. Bell, wonderful Slack Wire and Juggling act.

4. Prof. Nordquist, the World's famous High Dive.

5. Mathews and Newman Unicycle and Rolling Globe acts, a marvelous performance.

6. Prof. G. Richards, High Rope, doing all the latest tricks on the high rope, standing on his head, walking in cheese boxes, riding on a bicycle, and possibly Little Boy, the Boy High Diver. He is only twelve and makes a dive of seventy-five feet.

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Horses for the British Army

Col. Dent will be at Edmonton on July 2nd to buy horses for the British Army.

Have you any to sell?

Space is allotted free of charge on the Exhibition Grounds for the above class of horses which may be sold at any time during the fair.

It would be well for breeders to note the following points as to respecting the horses which Col. Dent will purchase:

Cavalry horses, 15.1 to 15.2 hands.

Artillery horses, 15.1 to 15.2 hands.

The age limit is usually from 6 to 8 years, it is, however, anticipated that no objection will be made to well-developed 5 year olds and good individuals up to 10.

The colors are restricted to bay, brown, black and chestnut. Exceptionally good iron grays may be accepted, but white or light grays need not be shown.

Mares and geldings only will be bought; stallions and ridglings will be rejected.

All horses must be broken to ride, be bridled and gentle to saddle, mount and dismount.

# Estray Pigs.

Strayed onto the premises of the undersigned on June 12th one large black and white spotted sow (sow—black and white) with litter of five. Owner is requested to take away at once on pain of penalty.

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